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FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
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LEE DARREL CRAYTON,

Petitioner,

v.

2:09-CV-0240

RICK THALER, Director,  
Texas Department of Criminal Justice,  
Correctional Institutions Division,

Respondent.

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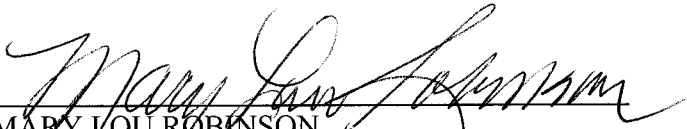
**ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**  
**and DISMISSING PETITION FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS**

Petitioner has filed with this Court a petition for a federal writ of habeas corpus. On December 3, 2009, the United States Magistrate Judge entered a Report and Recommendation in this cause, recommending therein that the instant habeas application be dismissed for failure to pay the requisite filing fee or, alternatively, for want of prosecution due to petitioner's failure to comply with an order of this Court. As of this date, no objections to the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation have been filed of record, nor has the filing fee been paid in this cause.

Having made an independent examination of the record in this case, the undersigned United States District Judge is of the opinion the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation should be, and hereby is, ADOPTED. Accordingly, the petition for a writ of habeas corpus is hereby DISMISSED for failure to pay the filing fee or, alternatively, for want of prosecution.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ENTERED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2009.

  
MARY LOU ROBINSON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE